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Responsive to the Office Action dated May 19, 2005, enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Responsive to the Office Action dated May 19, 2005, please amend the application as follows.

Claims amendments begin on page 2.

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